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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2005–06 REGULAR SESSION

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 1858**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member McCarthy**

January 13, 2006

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*An act to amend Sections 358, 478, and 504 of the Streets and Highways Code, relating to highways.*

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1858, as amended, McCarthy. State ~~highways~~ *Highway Routes 58, 178, and 204: relinquishment.*

Existing law gives the Department of Transportation full possession and control of all state highways. *Existing law describes the authorized routes in the state highway system and establishes a process for adoption of a highway on an authorized route by the California Transportation Commission.* Existing law also authorizes the ~~California Transportation Commission~~ *commission* to relinquish certain state highway segments to local agencies.

~~This bill would express the Legislature's intent to enact legislation authorizing the commission to relinquish a portion of State Highway Route 58 in the City of Bakersfield~~ *authorize the commission to relinquish to the City of Bakersfield the portions of State Highway Routes 58, 178, and 204 that are located within the city limits of that city under certain conditions.*

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: ~~no~~ *yes*. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1     *SECTION. 1. Section 358 of the Streets and Highways Code*  
2     *is amended to read:*

3     358. (a) Route 58 is from:

4     ~~(a)~~

5     (1) Route 101 near Santa Margarita to Route 33.

6     ~~(b)~~

7     (2) Route 33 to Route 43.

8     ~~(c)~~

9     (3) Route 43 to Route 99.

10    ~~(d)~~

11    (4) Route 99 to Route 15 near Barstow via Bakersfield and  
12    Mojave.

13    (b) *Upon a determination by the commission that it is in the*  
14    *best interests of the state to do so, the commission may, upon*  
15    *terms and conditions approved by it, relinquish to the City of*  
16    *Bakersfield the portion of Route 58 that is located within the city*  
17    *limits of that city if the city agrees to accept it. The following*  
18    *conditions shall apply upon relinquishment:*

19    (1) *The relinquishment shall become effective on the date*  
20    *following the county recorder's recordation of the*  
21    *relinquishment resolution containing the commission's approval*  
22    *of the terms and conditions of the relinquishment.*

23    (2) *On and after the effective date of the relinquishment, the*  
24    *relinquished portion of Route 58 shall cease to be a state*  
25    *highway.*

26    (3) *The portion of Route 58 relinquished under this*  
27    *subdivision shall be ineligible for future adoption under Section*  
28    *81.*

29    (4) *For the portion of Route 58 that is relinquished under this*  
30    *subdivision, the City of Bakersfield shall install and maintain*  
31    *within its jurisdiction signs directing motorists to the*  
32    *continuation of Route 58.*

33    *SEC. 2. Section 478 of the Streets and Highways Code is*  
34    *amended to read:*

35    478. (a) Route 178 is from:

36    ~~(a)~~

37    (1) Bakersfield to Route 14 near Freeman via Walker Pass.

38    ~~(b)~~

1 (2) Route 14 near Freeman to Route 127.

2 (e)

3 (3) Route 127 to the Nevada state line in Pahrump Valley.

4 (b) *Upon a determination by the commission that it is in the*  
5 *best interests of the state to do so, the commission may, upon*  
6 *terms and conditions approved by it, relinquish to the City of*  
7 *Bakersfield the portion of Route 178 that is located within the*  
8 *city limits of that city if the city agrees to accept it. The following*  
9 *conditions shall apply upon relinquishment:*

10 (1) *The relinquishment shall become effective on the date*  
11 *following the county recorder's recordation of the*  
12 *relinquishment resolution containing the commission's approval*  
13 *of the terms and conditions of the relinquishment.*

14 (2) *On and after the effective date of the relinquishment, the*  
15 *relinquished portion of Route 178 shall cease to be a state*  
16 *highway.*

17 (3) *The portion of Route 178 relinquished under this*  
18 *subdivision shall be ineligible for future adoption under Section*  
19 *81.*

20 (4) *For the portion of Route 178 that is relinquished under this*  
21 *subdivision, the City of Bakersfield shall install and maintain*  
22 *within its jurisdiction signs directing motorists to the*  
23 *continuation of Route 178.*

24 SEC. 3. *Section 504 of the Streets and Highways Code is*  
25 *amended to read:*

26 504. (a) *Route 204 is from Route 58 to Route 99 near*  
27 *Bakersfield via Union Avenue and Golden State Avenue.*

28 (b) *Upon a determination by the commission that it is in the*  
29 *best interests of the state to do so, the commission may, upon*  
30 *terms and conditions approved by it, relinquish to the City of*  
31 *Bakersfield the portion of Route 204 that is located within the*  
32 *city limits of that city if the city agrees to accept it. The following*  
33 *conditions shall apply upon relinquishment:*

34 (1) *The relinquishment shall become effective on the date*  
35 *following the county recorder's recordation of the*  
36 *relinquishment resolution containing the commission's approval*  
37 *of the terms and conditions of the relinquishment.*

38 (2) *On and after the effective date of the relinquishment, the*  
39 *relinquished portion of Route 204 shall cease to be a state*  
40 *highway.*

1     (3) *The portion of Route 204 relinquished under this*  
2     *subdivision shall be ineligible for future adoption under Section*  
3     *81.*

4     ~~SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to enact~~  
5     ~~legislation to authorize the California Transportation~~  
6     ~~Commission to relinquish a portion of State Highway Route 58~~  
7     ~~west of the State Highway Route 99 interchange in the City of~~  
8     ~~Bakersfield.~~